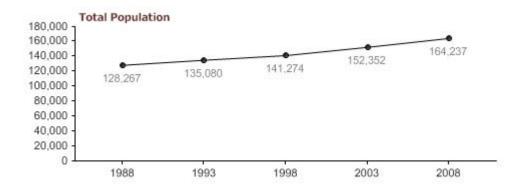
Tippecanoe County, IN Highlights

Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.

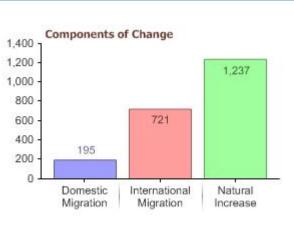
Population Over Time						
	1988	1993	1998	2003	2008	
Total Population	128,267	135,080	141,274	152,352	164,237	
Change Since 1988		6,813	13,007	24,085	35,970	
Pct. Change Since 1988		5.3%	10.1%	18.8%	28.0%	



Source: US Census Bureau

Components of Population Change 2007 to 2008

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	195
International Migration	721
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	1,237
Births	2,282
Deaths	1,045



Source: US Census Bureau

	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool	10,393	6.4%
School Age	24,131	14.9%
College Age	38,475	23.7%

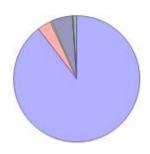
Young Adult	44,140	27.2%
Older Adult	30,959	19.1%
Older (65 plus)	15,266	9.4%

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates	by	Race and	Hispanic	Origin in 2007
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	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	575	0.4%
Asian Alone	8,978	5.5%
Black Alone	5,710	3.5%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	61	0.0%
White Alone	146,333	90.3%
Two or More Race Groups	1,707	1.1%

Population by Race





Hispanic or Latino		
Non-Hispanic or Latino	151,738	93.6%
Hispanic or Latino	11,626	7.2%

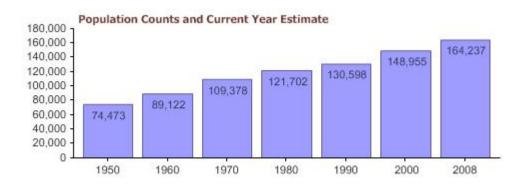
Source: US Census Bureau

Households in 2000				
	Number	Pct. Dist		
Total Households	55,226	100.0%		
Family Households	32,403	58.7%		
Married with Children	11,781	21.3%		
Married without Children	14,137	25.6%		
Single Parents	3,961	7.2%		
Other	2,524	4.6%		
Non-family Households	22,823	41.3%		
Living Alone	15,489	28.0%		
Average Household Size	2.70			
Average Family Household Size	4.61			

Source: US Census Bureau

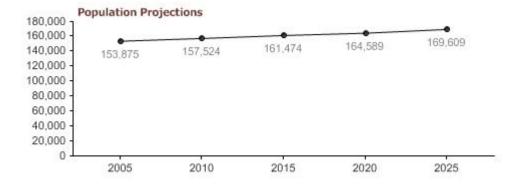
Population Counts by Decade and Current Year Estimate						
	Population	Numerical Chg.	Pct. Chg.			
1950	74,473	NA	NA			
1960	89,122	14,649	19.7%			
1970	109,378	20,256	22.7%			
1980	121,702	12,324	11.3%			
1990	130,598	8,896	7.3%			

April 2000	148,955	18,357	14.1%
2008	164,237	15,282	10.3%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Population Projections							
	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025		
Population Projections	153,875	157,524	161,474	164,589	169,609		
Change Since 2005		3,649	7,599	10,714	15,734		
Pct. Change Since 2005		2.4%	4.9%	7.0%	10.2%		



Source: Indiana Business Research Center